

NORTH ARKANSAS KENNEL CLUB



AGILITY TRIAL PREMIUM LIST

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This event is accepting entries for dogs listed in the AKC Canine Partners program (Mixed Breeds)

Friday, Saturday and Sunday

April 10, 11, 12, 2026

Event numbers- #2026246401; #2026246402; #2026246403

**University of Arkansas Pauline Whitaker Animal Science Arena
1335 W Knapp Dr
Fayetteville, AR 72704**

To be held Indoors on ROLLED PACKED DIRT FLOOR

ENTRY LIMIT:	350 runs per day, one judge, TWO RINGS – 90' x 92'
ENTRY METHOD:	"First Received" basis on or after and/or accepting paper entries or ONLINE ENTRIES through LabTestedOnline.com
OPENING DATE:	Monday, January 19, 2026 at 8:00 am All entries received before this date will be returned. Overnight or certified mail must be sent with the "No Signature Required" waiver signed.
CLOSING DATE:	Friday, March 27, 2026 at 6:00 pm, after which time entries cannot be accepted, cancelled, altered or substituted except as provided for in Chapter 11, Section 6 of the Dog Show Rules and Chapter 1, Section 16 of the Regulations for Agility Trials.
TRIAL HOURS:	Trial hours are 7 a.m. and 30 minutes after conclusion runs. Runs start no earlier than 8 am all 3 days.
CLASSES:	FRI: All Levels of STD/JWW, Premier STD, T2B SAT: All Levels of STD/JWW, Premier JWW, FAST SUN: All Levels of STD/JWW, T2B, (No Premiers) For Exhibition Only (FEQ) will be offered in all classes



CERTIFICATION : Permission has been granted by the American Kennel Club for the holding of this event under the American Kennel Club rules and regulations. **Sheila H. Goffe**, Executive Secretary

NORTH ARKANSAS KENNEL CLUB OFFICERS

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158 Bland St, Cotter, AR 72626

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AGILITY EVENT COMMITTEE

Carol Brownrigg, Sherry Gibbany, Carla Jacobs, Janice Johnson, Mary Jungers, and any NAKC members present at trial.

JUDGE (all classes)

Pam Nettles
#70579
Elmer, OK 73539

Electronic Timers will be used

VETERINARIAN ON CALL

Care Vet & Emergency
Care Vet, 1155 E. Henri De Tonti Blvd, Springdale, AR (next door to Taco Bell down Sunset Ave) 479-717-2688 (hrs 4/10/26- 7:30 – 5:30 pm, 4/11 – 8- 12 pm).

Animal Emergency and Specialty Center of Northwest Arkansas, 881 Metroplex Dr, Springdale, AR 72762 – 479-349-4227.

Exhibitors should follow their veterinarians' recommendations to assure their dogs are free of internal and external parasites, any communicable diseases, and have appropriate vaccinations.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire/ambulance/police – Washington County 911
Washington Regional Medical Center –
 3215 N Northhills Blvd, Fayetteville, AR
 (479) 463-1000

The AKC is committed to creating a safe and respectful sport environment for all. If you need to talk to someone or need help, please call 800-656-HOPE (National Sexual Assault Hotline) or text HOME to 741-741 for free, 24/7, confidential services from trained crisis counselors.

TENTATIVE RUNNING ORDER

PROPOSED, TENTATIVE RUNNING ORDER (subject to change)

The exact running order will be provided in the Judging Program. Rings will alternate. Starting in Ring 1 Friday and Saturday and Ring 2 on Sunday. Regular and Preferred will run together in ALL classes/jump heights.

FRIDAY APRIL 10		SATURDAY APRIL 11		SUNDAY APRIL 12	
Ring 1	Ring 2	Ring 1	Ring 2	Ring 1	Ring 2
T2B	Premier STD	Premier JWW	FAST	E/M JWW	T2B
E/M JWW	E/M STD	E/M JWW	E/M STD	OPEN JWW	E/M STD
Open JWW	Open STD	Open JWW	Open STD	NOVICE JWW	OPEN STD
Novice JWW	Novice STD	Novice JWW	Novice STD		NOVICE STD

Small to tall on Saturday. Tall to small on Friday and Sunday

ENTRY FEES

First entry of each dog (includes a \$4.50 AKC recording fee)..... **\$26.00**
 Additional entries of same dog (includes a \$4.50 AKC recording fee) **\$16.00**

Make checks payable to: NAKC and mail entries to Sherry Gibbany, 158 Bland St, Cotter, AR, 72626.

ENTRY INFORMATION

Consult the AKC Regulations for Agility Trials for a complete description and eligibility for entry to these classes. The exhibitor is fully responsible for entering the dog in the correct class(es) and height divisions. Dogs running in a lower height division than they are eligible for will be eliminated.

The owner may choose to enter their dog in Preferred classes and Regular classes at the same trial. A dog may only be entered once in each class offered. They may not enter a class in both Preferred and Regular.

If an owner wants to enter a dog in two different jump heights they must submit two separate entry forms, one for Regular classes and one for Preferred classes. However, when calculating entry fees, treat multiply entry forms for the same dog as if only one form had been filled out. Example: the 1st run entry form is only paid once per day, even if that dog's runs have been submitted on multiple entry forms.

PAPER ENTRIES: Make checks payable to **NAKC** and mail entry form(s) to **Sherry Gibbany, 158 Bland St, Cotter, AR 72626**. No entries will be accepted by phone, fax nor hand delivery. Express mail entries must include the signature waiver allowing them to be left at secretary's address. Entries will NOT be accepted without signature, fees and back of entry form, with agreement signed nor will credit card or faxed entries be accepted with paper entries. All entries, including overnight and express mail are to be mailed with fees payable to "NAKC" to secretary's address.

NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED WHICH REQUIRE A SIGNATURE FOR DELIVERY.

No entry shall be made and no entry shall be accepted which specifies any conditions as to its acceptance.

Illegible entries will not be processed and will be returned to exhibitor.

Return checks do not constitute a valid entry and the Trial Secretary will add a \$25.00 collection fee to the amount of each returned check.

ONLINE ENTRIES: This trial is accepting online entries through www.labtestedonline.com. During the first 48 hours after opening will be as follows: 175 runs online (50%) and 175 runs paper (50%). If either form of entry has not filled at the end of the 48 hour time period, the club reserves the right to decrease or increase either accordingly.

An initial E-mail will be sent out as entries are processed, typically within 24-48 hrs of the entry being received. Move-ups are confirmed by a new emailed confirmation being sent. If have multiple dogs entered the updated email will only be for the dog that had the move-up.

Final confirmations will go out after the trial closes.

Change of Entry: Entry changes emailed to the Trial Secretary are not official until the exhibitor has received a return email confirmation from the Trial Secretary.

ENTRY INFORMATION CONTINUED

- **Limit:** 10 entries per envelope. One entry=one dog. Envelopes containing more than 10 entries will be returned to the sender
- All entries must be submitted on official AKC agility entry forms, one dog per entry form. Photocopies of entry form will be accepted only if legible and official AKC size.
- **OWNERS/HANDLERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR REVIEWING ALL INFORMATION IN THE CONFIRMATION LETTER EACH TIME IT IS SENT AND CONTACTING TRIAL SECRETARY IMMEDIATELY IN WRITING/EMAIL IF A CORRECTION OR CHANGE NEEDS TO BE MADE.** Correct AKC Registration #, PAL # or ILP # is crucial.
- Any exhibitor who has not received a preliminary confirmation within 10 days of mailing a paper entry, please contact Trial Secretary to confirm receipt of paper entry.
- Any exhibitor who does not receive the Judging Program within five (5) days prior to the trial, should contact the Trial Secretary.
- **For Exhibition Only (FEO) runs will be allowed in all classes per new updates as of April 2024. Final Class order will be in confirmation.**

MOVE-UPS

Move-ups for the Friday trial will be accepted in regular mail or email to Trial Secretary prior to 6 pm Central Time, Monday April 6, 2026. Send move-ups to Trial Secretary, sherrygibbany57@gmail.com. Day to day move-ups will also be accepted.

Move-ups for the subsequent days of this trial will be accepted no later than 30 minutes after the completion of the trial on Friday and Saturday on the forms provided.

Dogs shall be moved up to a higher class at the request of the owner, as a result of the dog qualifying for an agility title. The request for a day-to-day move up must be made to the Trial Secretary not later than the day preceding the event. All move-up entries are subject to availability of the class and payment of any difference in entry fee. It is the option of the club to allow move-ups. Dogs so moved-up will be entered at the end of the running order. Refer to Chapter 1, Section 20 of the Regulations for Agility Trials for additional move-up requirements.

Move-up forms will be available at the Secretary's table for these trials.

SET UP, TRIAL HOURS & CHECK IN

Exhibitors can set up after 4:00 pm Thursday April 9, 2026. Volunteers who help unload the equipment may set up crates prior to 3:00 pm. **Please do not reserve spaces for people who are not helping!**

The site will open at 7:00 am each morning all three days.

Judging will begin no earlier than 8 am. The exact running order will be determined after entries close and will be provided in the Judging Program.

Check in will be done via the Agility Gate app. The app can be downloaded off the Play Store.

WAITLIST – REFUND POLICY

NAKC is offering a wait list to fill openings created by withdrawn entries after the trial's closing date/time. A maximum of 50 entries will be placed on the club's wait listed entries. **All entries, including wait listed entries, must be received by Trial Secretary prior to the closing date, March 27, 2026 at 6:00 PM.** Any withdrawals that are received by 6 pm the Monday prior to the first day of the trial will be replaced by a wait listed entry if any available. If a withdrawn entry is replaced by a wait listed entry, a full refund will be issued for the withdrawn entry. Any wait listed entry that does not move off the wait list into the trial by April 6, 2026 at 6 PM will receive a full refund.

- Entry fees will be refunded if an entry is pulled prior to the closing date and time. No refunds will be made for any entry pulled after the closing unless the spot is filled from exhibitor on the waitlist.
- The club will provide full refunds less \$5 per day processing fee for bitches in season, dogs that passed away or injured prior to the trial. The Trail Secretary must receive written or email notification no later than 30 minutes before the start of the first class of the day of the trial. Must have a veterinarians note sent to Trial Secretary. Refunds can be picked up at trial or will be mailed after the trial.
- Entry fees will not be refunded in the event that a dog is absent, disqualified, sick, lame, excused by veterinarian or judge, barred from competition by action of the Event Committee, is ineligible to compete due to being entered incorrectly or if a trial cannot open or be completed.
- Refunds for less than \$5 will not be made.
- Entry fees will not be refunded if the trial cannot open or be completed by reason of extreme weather, riots, civil disturbances, fire, an act of God, public emergency, act of a public enemy, or any other cause beyond control of the organizing committee.

RIBBONS AND PRIZES

Ribbons will be awarded to the 1st through 4th place teams in each jump height in each titling class. Dogs must qualify to receive ribbons. Qualifying ribbons will be awarded to all dogs receiving qualifying scores in each titling class. New title rosettes will be awarded to all dog/handler teams finishing a title. Double Q and triple Q ribbons will be awarded to all dogs qualifying in both Master Standard and Master JWW in the same trial. Dogs earning a new MACH or PACH title will be awarded a bar and rosette.

First Place.....	Blue
Second Place	Red
Third Place	Yellow
Fourth Place	White
Qualifying Score.....	Dark Green

HEIGHT DIVISIONS

Owners, exhibitors, and/or handlers are responsible for entering their dogs in the proper height division. Exhibitors may choose to enter their dogs in a higher height division than required by AKC, but not in a height division lower than the AKC mandated height. Dogs in the Preferred Classes **MUST** jump in their preferred measure height division. They may not enter in a higher jump class.

REGULAR	PREFERRED	HEIGHT AT WITHERS
Handler may opt to run their dog in a higher division but NOT a lower height	Handlers must run the AKC mandated jump height	Owners are responsible for entering their dog in the proper jump height
8"	4"	11" & under at the withers
12"	8"	14" & under at the withers
16"	12"	18" & under at the withers
20"	16"	22" & under at the withers
24"	20"	Over 22" at the withers
24" Choice	N/A	Dogs 22" & under may enter this height at owner's discretion

AKC JUMP HEIGHT CARD

All dogs competing in agility must possess an official AKC Jump Height Card. An official AKC Jump Height Card is defined as either a permanent jump height card, a valid temporary jump height form, copies of two different measuring forms (placing the dog in the same height class) on or after the dog's second birthday, or copies of three different measuring forms (two of which place the dog in the same height class) on or after the dog's second birthday. All dogs without jump height cards/forms must be measured by the Judge of Record **PRIOR** to running their class; this measurement will be valid for the weekend of trials only. If a Volunteer Measuring Official (VMO) or an Agility Field Rep is present, all dogs without a valid jump height card/form must be measured at some time during the trial.

- **You are not required to show your height card or send a copy with your entry.**
- **You are required to mark on the entry form your dog's height card status.**
- **It is the exhibitor's responsibility to request measurement.**

OBSTACLES AND RING CONDITIONS

Obstacles will meet the specifications for obstacles in the current edition of the Regulations for Agility Trials. All classes will take place indoors on dirt. Electronic timers and rubberized contacts and table will be used. Ring size will be 90' X 92'.

COURSE WALK-THROUGHS AND WARM UP INFORMATION

Handlers in all classes are permitted to walk the course, without the dog, during a walk-through period held prior to the start of the class. The walk-through is restricted to handlers entered in that class only. Handlers with multiple dog, at events with multiple rings may request to walk with a height group other than the one their dog is entered in if a conflict is imminent. If the class is large, then the jump height walk-throughs may be split.

A warm-up area, consisting of a regulation agility jump, may be provided for exhibitors. The warm-up area is to be used exclusively for warming up the dog and not for training or relieving of the dog.

DOGS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

This trial is open to all dog fifteen (15) months of age or older that are registered with the American Kennel Club or that have AKC Limited Registration, Purebred Alternative Listing/Indefinite Listing Privileges (PAL/ILP), or an AKC Canine Partners listing number or are approved Foundation Stock Service (FSS) breeds.

Dogs with a PAL/ILP number or an AKC Canine Partners listing number must be spayed or neutered to compete. Dogs should be physically sound. Dogs that are blind or deaf, bitches in season, aggressive dogs, or suffering from any deformity, injury, or illness which may affect the dog's physical or mental performance are not eligible to compete. No dog shall compete if it is taped or bandaged in any way or has anything attached to it for medical purposes. Refer to Chapter 2 of the Rules Applying to Registration and Discipline for the listing of registrable breeds they may participate.

Whenever the word "dog" is used in these regulations it includes both sexes. Puppies under four months of age are strictly prohibited from the trial grounds.

All exhibitors should obtain a copy of the Regulations for Agility Trials by contacting the American Kennel Club, 8051 Arco Corporate Drive Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27671-3390, by phone (919) 233-9767, by email at info@akc.org, or on their website at www.akc.org.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS

- For AKC Canine Partners, the dog's breed should be entered as "All American Dog".
- Make sure legible email address is included on the entry form so that you can receive a confirmation of entry and judging program.
- No pinch/prong collars, electronic collars (dummy or not), and special training collars are not allowed on trial grounds.
- The club, NAKC and the Trial Facility assume no responsibility for any loss, damage or injury sustained by exhibitors, handlers or to any dogs or property and further assume no responsibility for injury to children or spectators. Park at your own risk.
- Crates may be left overnight; however, the club nor facility will be responsible. Look above.
- The Club and the Trial Secretary have no obligation or responsibility to provide a public address system or stewards to call or locate dogs that are not present at the ring when required. Exhibitors are responsible for being at the gate when it is their turn to run. Judges are **NOT** required to wait for dogs.
- The safety of the dogs are our primary concern. By entering this trial, exhibitors acknowledge that they are familiar with the rules and regulations of this sport, and that their dogs are familiar with and able to perform all the obstacles safely.
- All dogs present must be on leash or confined in crates when not being judged, except when in the designated warm up area.
- Running order will be determined by computer generated random draw. Handlers with multiple dogs in one class will have those dogs separated as much as possible.
- Exhibitors may wear shirts or insignia of their training group. Clothing may display the person's name, the dog's call name and/or the dog's picture. Titles may be displayed. Writing or graphics on the clothing must not be in poor taste or contain profanity. See AKC Regulations for Agility Trials, Chapter 4, Section 16 for additional information.
- Exhibitors alone are responsible for the behavior of their dogs and/or children. Any exhibitor whose dogs and/or children create unnecessary disturbances or repeatedly engage in unsafe or disruptive behavior may, at the discretion of the Event Committee, be asked to leave the trial site. No refund of entry fees will be made.
- No refunds for duplicate entries. However, care will be taken to find duplicates before processing. Owners are responsible for errors in making out entry forms, and no entry fee will be refunded in the event of such errors.
- Exhibitors are responsible for picking up after their own dogs.
- NAKC reserves the right to decline entries for cause and may remove any dog on account of aggression, disease, deformity, injury or illness that may affect the dog's physical or mental performance. No one shall have recourse or claim against NAKC or any official thereof.
- Dogs **MAY NOT** be left overnight at the trial site.
- No refunds will be issued for overpayment or less than \$12.
- Checks for cancelled or incomplete entries will be shredded. No check will be returned.
- Errors in entries made by the exhibitor cannot be corrected after the closing date.
- **There will be a food truck present at the trial.**
- **Crating:** Lobby and dirt floor near rings. Set up after 3 pm unless helping with unload of trailer and set up of rings. Limited crating in Lobby.
- Smoking or vaping inside the building is strictly prohibited.
- **Entering building – Exhibitors may not enter building until designated time especially lobby as classes are going on Thursday. Refer to final confirmation for details.**

FOR EXHIBITION ONLY (FEO)

- For Exhibition Only (FEO) may be offered at the option of the host club. FEO will allow exhibitors to work their dogs in a trial environment. FEO is allowed in all classes. Participation in FEO is non-qualifying.
- FEO runs are treated as trial entries. The exhibitor must enter the class(es) prior to the closing date, pay class entry fee(s) and the Trial Secretary must record the entry in the Trial Catalog as part of the results for that class. FEO does not need to be noted on the entry form; the handler must declare the day of the show.
- Dogs may be entered in any jump height for FEO runs. If entered in an ineligible jump height, the team is committed to FEO for that run and must declare FEO on the start line. **Day of show jump height changes are not allowed.**
- The exhibitor must declare FEO in the ring prior to leading out to the scribe and the judge.
- Course time for FEO in T2B, JWW, Standard, Premier and ISC will be 45 seconds. FAST course times for each class/height are as noted in the Regulations. Exhibitors MUST exit the ring when the horn sounds. FEO runs will be scored as "absent" in catalog and results.
- **FEO is being offered in all classes at this trial.**

FIX AND GO ON (FNG)

Fix and Go On is not pre-entered; rather, it occurs during the course of the run. FNG allows exhibitors to immediately reattempt an obstacle at any time while on the course when the dog's performance of the obstacle is not to their expectation. This allows the dog to successfully complete the obstacle then finish the course or leave the ring on a positive note. Using Fix and Go On will result in a non-qualifying score.

ADDITIONAL SITE INFORMATION

- No crating in classrooms only in designated areas.
- No crates set up prior to 4:30 pm in the lobby area on Thursday April 9, 2026 due to classes in session. Please be respectful of this policy as we would like to keep this facility. Keep the noise level down. Any questions talk to Janice Johnson at trial.
- Please clean up after your dogs.

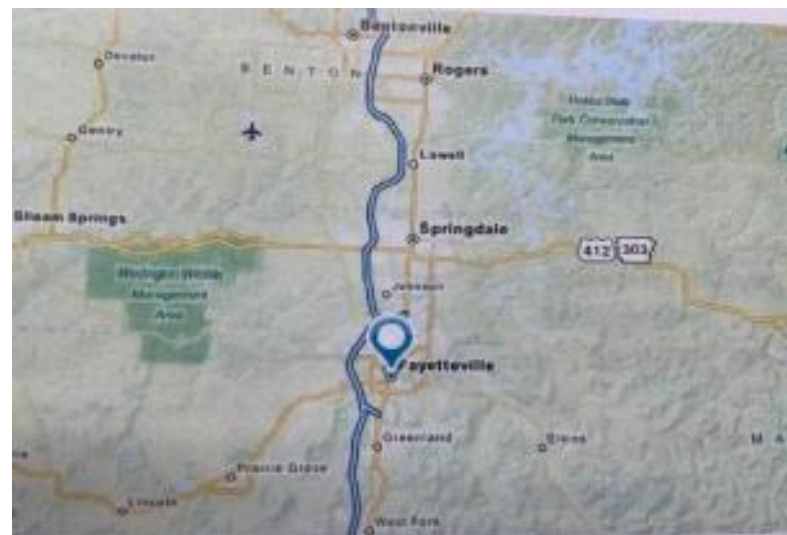
MOTEL AND RV INFORMATION

Please check pet policies and restrictions as this could be subject to change. Please confirm all details when making reservations.

<p>HOST MOTEL</p> <p>TownePlace Suites by Marriott Bentonville Rogers</p> <p>\$149/night – nonrefundable pet fee of \$50 which covers up to 2 pets/room for entire stay.</p> <p>Last day to book for special rate is March 10, 2026</p> <p>Contact sale office: 479-621-0202 (M-F)</p> <p><u>Book your group rate for NAKC</u></p>	<p>Hampton Inn and Suites 1700 S. 48th Street Springdale, AR (479) 756-3500 7.9 miles from trial site</p> <hr/> <p>Days Inn 523 Shiloh Dr Fayetteville, AR \$122/night plus \$25/dog/night fee Only dogs up to 50 lbs 479-271-7555</p>
<p>HOME 2 Suites by Hilton 1519 S. 48th Street Springdale, AR (479) 756-1260 \$155/night pet fee waived</p> <p><i>There will be charges if there is any cleanup/property damage by pets Must book by 3/10/26</i></p> <p>7.9 miles from trial site</p> <p>Mention NAKC agility trial</p> <p><u>North Arkansas Kennel Club booking link</u></p>	<p>RV Parking</p> <p><u>https://southgatervpark.com/site-layout/</u></p> <p>Southgate RV Park 479-442-2021</p> <p>Arkansas Road Hogs RV 479-409-8178</p> <p>There will be very limited spots for 100% dry camping at the arena. Cost is \$20/night. Please contact Trial Chair Janice Johnson for availability before sending check.</p>

DIRECTIONS TO TRIAL SITE

From I-49 take exit 67A and head south onto Hwy 112 (N Garland Ave). It is mile from the exit, situated on the west side of Hwy 112. Turn right onto W Knapp St.



Please pick up after your dogs so that these motels will continue to accept dogs. Some restrictions may apply. Check with motels regarding rates and dog policy when making reservations. The entire motel and grounds are considered part of the trial grounds. Any damages to your room may be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with the rules of the AKC.

Vendors are welcome at the trial. Indoor vendor space is limited. Reservations are required. The vendor fee is \$25 for the weekend. To reserve a spot please contact Sherry Gibbany, sherrygibbany57@gmail.com. Space is limited.